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In the application of:

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For: DIGITAL INTERACTIVE SYSTEM
FOR PROVIDING FULL
INTERACTIVITY WITH LIVE
PROGRAMMING EVENTS

Examiner: KIEU OANH T BUI

Group Art Unit: 2611

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2004, please reconsider the application based on the following remarks:

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 are pending and stand rejected.

Claims 1-11 stand rejected under 35 USC 102(e) over Harper (U.S. Patent No. 5,537,141). Applicants overcome the rejection.

Claim 1 recites, among other things:

“a means for receiving video signals from a plurality of video cameras, one or more of the cameras relaying a different predetermined view of a live event,”